

**STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE FOR  
GRANT JOINT UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**ERTHIA L. JOHNSON**

**Occupation:** Retired

**Education and Qualifications:** I graduated from Central High School in Mobile Alabama. I attended Spaulding and 20th Century Colleges in Mobile Alabama. I have been married 44 years. I am a Korean War Veteran with an Honorable Discharge from the USMC. I worked 35 years as a civilian government employee. I have an AA Degree in Social Science, a Bachelors of Arts Degree in Psychology and a Master of Science Degree in School Counseling. I have a Community College Teaching Credential, a Community College Counseling Credential and a Pupil Personnel Services Credential. I have worked as a Work Experience Counselor in the Grant District. I have served 8 years as a Trustee on Grants' Governing Board. I have lived within the Grant Joint Union High School District for 37 years. To adequately prepare students for a highly competitive job market, education must move beyond the classroom. I have the requisite knowledge, skills and ability to affect changes which will produce academic excellence. I am the best qualified candidate for this position. Your vote and support will be greatly appreciated. "erthial@jps.net".